

REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION TRANSMITTAL		Docket No. E0001/7051P1
Applicant:	Paul J. Thompson and Richard C. Gunderson	
Serial No:	09/954,763	
Filed:	September 17, 2001	
Conf. No:	8878	
For:	STENT DELIVERY SYSTEM FOR BALLOON EXPANDABLE STENTS	
Examiner:	Sarah K. Webb	
Art Unit:	3731	

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 Commissioner for Patents
 P.O. Box 1450
 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

This is a request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. §1.114 of the above-identified application.

1. Submission required under 37 C.F.R. §1.114

- a. ☐ Previously submitted
 - i. ☐ Consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 C.F.R. §1.116 previously filed on
 - ii. ☐ Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on
 - iii. ☐ Other
- b. ☒ Enclosed
 - i. ☒ Amendment
 - ii. ☐ Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s)
 - iii. ☐ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)
 - iv. ☐ Other

2. Miscellaneous

- a. ☐ Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 C.F.R. §1.103(c) for a period of month(s).
- b. ☐ Other

3. Extension of Time

☒ A petition for a two-month Extension of Time is enclosed.

4. Small Entity Statement(s)

- ☐ Applicant claims small entity status.
☐ Small entity status is no longer claimed.

5. Fees

RCE fee	\$790.00
Extension of Time	450.00
Other	<u>\$0.00</u>
	\$0.00

Reduction for small entity	\$0.00
Total fee	\$1,240.00

6. Payment

- ☐ Check in the amount of the total fee.
☒ Charge Account No. 02-3038 in the amount of the total fee. A duplicate of this transmittal sheet is attached.

7. Authorization to Charge Additional Fees

- ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees under 37 C.F.R. \$1.16, \$1.17 and \$1.18 required by this paper and during the entire pendency of this application to Account No. 02-3038.

Respectfully submitted,

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